

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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Applicant: Jeffrey Kempf  
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**RULE 1.116 AMENDMENT**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of July 12, 2007, Applicant respectfully requests and proposes that the above-identified application be amended as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 13 of this paper.